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MEMORANDUM FOR DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY
(ENVIRONMENT, SAFETY AND OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH)
DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE NAVY
(ENVIRONMENT AND SAFETY)
DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE
(ENVIRONMENT, SAFETY AND OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH)

SUBJECT: FY 2001 Department of Defense (DoD) Forestry Workshop

Each year, the DoD conducts a forest management workshop in conjunction with the Society of American Foresters Convention. This workshop is a good opportunity for DoD natural resources professionals responsible for forestland management to meet with their peers, discuss management challenges and solutions, and obtain continuing education credits necessary to maintain Certified Forester status.

This year, the DoD Forestry Workshop will meet September 10-13 at the U.S. Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, CO. The agenda (attachment) and registration information can be found on the web at www.universetechnologies.com/forestry_conference/index.html. The 2001 Society of American Foresters Convention will be held September 13-17 in Denver, CO.

I would appreciate your support in informing your personnel about this conference and workshop and encouraging appropriate participation. If you have any questions, you can refer to the DENIX calendar, or contact Mr. Peter Boice at (703) 604-0524.

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of Defense (Environment)

Attachment:
As stated



**2001 Department of Defense
Forestry Workshop
United States Air Force Academy
Doolittle Hall (Association of Graduates)
Colorado Springs, CO**

Monday, 10 Sep 2001

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| 1500-1800 | Military Department Forestry Breakout Sessions
Army Breakout Session
Bill Woodson ODEP

Air Force Breakout Session,
Kevin Porteck, HQ AFCEE/ECC

Navy/Marine Corps Breakout Session
Craig Woods, NAVFACHQ | Doolittle Hall |
| 1800-1930 | Ice-Breaker Social with Snack | Doolittle Hall |

Tuesday, 11 Sep 2001, DOD Forestry Workshop-Main Session

Doolittle Hall

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| 0800-0815 | Opening Ceremony
USAFA Honor Guard,
Mary Bice, USAFA |
| 0815-0825 | Superintendent's Welcome
Lt Gen John R. Dallager |
| 0825-0930 | Military Department Forester's Report
Army, Bill Woodson, ODEP
Navy, Craig Woods, NAVFACHQ
Air Force, Kevin Porteck, HQ AFCEE/ECC |
| 0930-1000 | Break |
| 1000-1030 | Prescribed Burning Maxtrix Model for Fort Stewart,
Jeff Mangun, Planning Chief
Arte Rahn, GIS Specialist |
| 1030-1115 | Monument Creek Watershed Landscape Assessment,
John Armstrong, Conservation Planner, Colorado Natural Heritage Program |
| 1115-1145 | Forest Management Planning to Support the Army's Training Mission
at Fort Campbell KY,
Forest Manager, Linda Alderdice, and
Foresters Anne M. Jewell, Benjamin D. Campbell , Steven C. Stedman |
| 1145-1200 | Tree Planting for Bioremediation at Fairchild AFB,
Jerry Johnson, Natural Resources Manager |

Tuesday, 11 Sep 2001, DOD Forestry Workshop – USAF Academy Tour, Bus

1200 -1330 **Board Buses for Lunch** USAFA Fam Camp

1330-1700 **USAF Academy Natural Resource Management Tour,**
USAF Academy Staff

Stop 1 – Silvicultural Considerations in Forest Restoration,
Jim McDermott, Forester

Stop 2 – The Role of Spatial Scale in Modeling and
Mapping Fire Fuel
Lt Col Bruce Frank, USAFA Professor
Jim McDermott, Forester

Stop 3 – Prebles Jumping Mouse Research and Management,
Dr Brian Muhlbacher, Natural Resource Planner

Stop 4 - USAF Academy Chapel,
Peggy Kelly

1715 Buses Return to Rampart Lodge and Doolittle Hall

Wednesday 12 Sep 2001, DOD Forestry Workshop-Field Trip, Bus

0800-1900 **Jim McDermott USAFA/CEV** Cheeseman Research Forest
Stop 1 – Wildfire History and Historic Regimes,
Dr. Merrill Kaufman, U.S. Forest Service

Stop 2-Lunch Manitou Experimental Forest
History of the Manitou Experimental Forest and Front Range Pine
Restoration Project
Steve Tapia, U.S. Forest Service

Stop 3 –Pikes Peak Watershed Ecosystem, Manitou Springs, CO
Vic Ekland, City of Colorado Springs
Andy Schlosberg, Colorado State Forest Service
Steve Tapia, USFS

Thursday, 13 Sep 2001, Optional Workshops – Geospatial Data Standards for Forestry
Doolittle Hall

0800-0815 Introduction
Kevin Porteck, HQ AFCEE/ECC

0815-0830 The CADD/GIS Center – Natural and Cultural Resources Field
Working Group, Laurel Gorman, CADD/GIS Technology Center

0830-0845 Current Spatial Data Standards for Forestry, Laurel Gorman,
CADD/GIS Technology Center

0845-0930 Introduction to Federal Geographic Data Committee and Spatial
Data Standards for Facilities, Infrastructure, and Environment, Kevin
Backe, ERDC

0930-1000 Break

1000-1030 Air Force Academy Geospatial Data Structure for Forest
Management. Nathan Lowry, GIS Specialist, URS Corporation

1030-1100 Eglin Air Force Base Geospatial Data Structure for Forest
Management, Ken Bristol, Eglin AFB

1100-1200 Proposed Spatial Data Standards for Forestry, Group Discussion